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Applicant:	Jack W. Szostak et al.	Art Unit:	1653
Serial No.:	10/004,381	Examiner:	Snedden, S.
Filed:	October 31, 2001	Customer No.:	21559
Title:	STREPTAVIDIN-BINDING PEPTIDES AND USES THEREOF		

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REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

In reply to the Office action that was mailed in connection with the above-captioned patent application on February 26, 2004, Applicants submit the following Amendment and Remarks.

Kindly amend the application as follows.